

Annual Reports
of the
Town of Deering
New Hampshire



For the Year Ending
January 31, 1928

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Receipts and Expenditures

of the

Town of Deering

FOR THE

Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1928

TOGETHER WITH THE

**Report of the Overseer of the Poor
and School Board**

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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator

AMASA A. HOLDEN

Selectmen

HERBERT C. SPILLER KENNETH C. COLBURN
LEROY H. LOCKE

Town Clerk

WILLIAM P. WOOD

Town Treasurer

WILLIAM P. WOOD

Road Agents

CHESTER P. McNALLY FRED M. GRINNELL
ROBERT LAWSON HOBART D. KIBLIN

Overseer of Poor

HERBERT C. SPILLER

Tax Collector

JAMES Y. WILSON

Supervisors

JAY F. KINCAID CHESTER M. DURRELL
CHARLES H. TAYLOR

Auditors

EDWARD W. COLBURN HAROLD S. TITCOMB
EDWIN F. DUTTON

Ballot Inspectors

EVA DUTTON ALBERT H. BROWN
ARNOLD K. ELLSWORTH ARTHUR JACQUES

Library Trustees

MARY B. HOLDEN RUTH E. CLEMENT
KENNETH C. COLBURN

Constable

HENRY ADAMS

Health Officer

DR. WALTER L. KELSO

Trustees of Trust Funds

EDWARD W. COLBURN JAY F. KINCAID
PAUL WILLGEROTH

Forest Fire Warden

ARTHUR O. ELLSWORTH

Surveyors of Wood and Lumber

HERBERT C. SPILLER

Sealer of Weights and Measures

WILLIAM P. WOOD

Pound Keeper

LEROY H. LOCKE

INVENTORY OF REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY

Assessed on the First Day of April, 1927

No. of Polls 176 at \$2	\$ 352 00
Resident Real Estate	227,895 00
Non Resident Real Estate	213,000 00
97 Horses	8,060 00
4 Oxen	375 00
189 Cows	10,730 00
110 Neat Stock	4,635 00
13 Sheep	140 00
3 Hogs	37 00
Fowls	1,775 00
Wood and Lumber	14,470 00
Stock in Trade	300 00
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Total Valuation	\$481,417 00
Amount exempted to soldiers	1,600 00
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	\$479,817 00

Taxes Assessed in Town of Deering for Year 1927

For State Tax	\$ 998 55
For County Tax	801 92
For Town Charges	2,000 00
For Highways and Bridges	5,000 00
For State Road Construction and Maintenance	1,405 50
For Outstanding Bills	3,000 00
For Library Tax	18 90
For Schools	3,683 23
Overlay	813 35
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Total Taxes 1927	\$17,721 45

Rate \$3.62 on One Hundred Dollars Valuation.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Assets

Cash	\$4,310 34	
Accounts Due to the Town,—		
Due from State:		
(a) St. Road Maint.	273 09	
(b) State Road Const.	22 43	
(c) Due from State for bounties	16 80	
Other bills due Town:		
(a) Due from Trustee of Trust Funds	179 00	
Taxes not collected:		
Taxes bought by Town	35 54	
Bridge plank on hand	100 00	
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Total Assets	\$4,937 10	
Excess of liabilities over assets (Net Debt)	6,481 77	
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Grand Total		\$11,418 87
Net Debt—Surplus, January 31, 1927		\$6,930 65
Net Debt—Surplus, January 31, 1928		\$6,481 77
Decrease of debt, of surplus		\$448 88

Liabilities

Accounts Owed by the Town:

Bills outstanding		
Tractor Snow Plow	\$5,350	00
State and Town Joint		
Highway Accounts:		
(a) Unexpended bal. in		
State Treasury	295	52
(b) Unexpended bal. in		
Town Treasury	295	52
Long Term Notes Outstanding:		
Winter roads	3,450	00
Trust Funds, Amount of Principal		
Used by Town:		
Tubbs Fund	1,000	00
Dickey Funds	1,027	83
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Total Liabilities	\$11,418	87
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Grand Total		\$11,418 87

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes:

Property taxes committed	
to collector, 1927	\$17,369 45
Less discount and	
abatement, 1927	3 62
Taxes bought by town	35 54
Hillsboro School Tax	66 65
1. Property taxes current year	
actually collected	\$17,263 64
2. Poll taxes, current year,	
actually collected 174 @	\$2 348 00
3. Property and poll taxes,	
previous years,	
actually collected	11 00

4. Unlisted taxes 1927	24 10	
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Total of above collections		\$17,646 74
Tax sales redeemed		22 35
From State:		
5. For highways:		
(a) For State Aid Maintenance		685 02
(b) For State Aid construction		622 08
(c) Class 5 roads		2,229 72
(d) State to Town		223 56
6. Interest and dividend tax		18 60
8. Railroad tax		17 25
9. Savings bank tax		244 00
12. Fighting forest fires		18 48
13. Bounties		12 00
From Local Sources, Except Taxes:		
16. Dog licenses		161 00
20. Interest received on taxes		11 73
26. Permits for the registration of motor vehicles		556 85
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Total Current Receipts Revenue		\$22,469 38
Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:		
28. Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	5,000 00	
33. Refunds	1 37	
34. Gifts—Community Club for Snow Plow	300 00	
35. Gravel by Valley View Farm	12 80	
36. James W. Ellsworth 1926 Treasurer	21 17	
37. Abatements on 1926 Tax	12 00	
38. Taxes bought by town 1927 tax	35 54	
39. Abatement on 1927 tax	7 62	
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Total Receipts Other Than Current Revenue		5,390 50
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Total Receipts from All Sources		\$27,859 88
Cash on hand February 1, 1927		83 65
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Grand Total		\$27,943 53

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

1. Town officers' salaries	\$1,269 17
2. Town officers' expenses	112 31
3. Election and registration expenses	105 00
5. Expenses of town hall and other buildings	22 70

Protection of Persons and Property:

6. Police Department, including care of tramps	14 20
7. Fire department, including forest fires	43 75
9. Bounties	16 80
10. Damage by dogs	21 00

Health:

12. Vital statistics	12 90
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Highways and Bridges:

14. State Aid maintenance	1,607 29
16. Town maintenance	5,833 85
18. General expenses of highway dept., including watering troughs	1,230 52

Libraries:

19. Libraries	34 50
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Charities:

20. Town Poor	20 79
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Public Service Enterprises:

27. Cemeteries	179 00
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Unclassified:

28. Abatements	19 62
29. Taxes bought by town	35 54
30. Refund	3 50
31. Insurance	6 00
32. Printing town reports	117 00

Total Current Maintenance Expenses \$10,705 44

Interest:

33.	Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	151 56
34.	Paid on long term notes	162 50
36.	Paid on principal of trust funds used by town	243 34

Total Interest Payments	557 40
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Outlay for New Construction and

Permanent Improvements:

37.	Highways and Bridges	
	State Aid construction	1,145 76
43.	Lands and buildings	144 20

Total Outlay Payments	1,289 96
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Indebtedness:

45.	Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	5,000 00
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Total Indebtedness Payments	5,000 00
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Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

51.	Taxes paid to State	998 52
52.	Taxes paid to County	801 92
54.	Payments to School Dists.	4,280 05

Total Paym'ts to Other Gov. Div.	6,080 49
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Total Payments for all Purposes	\$23,633 29
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Cash on hand, January 31, 1928	4,310 24
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Grand Total	\$27,943 53
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CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Date January 31, 1928

HERBERT C. SPILLER
KENNETH C. COLBURN
LEROY H. LOCKE

Selectmen

WILLIAM P. WOOD

Treasurer

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

1.	Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$3,000 00
	Furniture and Equipment	200 00
2.	Libraries, Lands and Buildings	1,000 00
3.	Police Department, Equipment	10 00
4.	Fire Department, Equipment	25 00
5.	Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	100 00
	Equipment	5,500 00
	Materials and supplies	100 00
8.	Schools, Lands and Buildings	5,000 00
	Equipment	1,000 00
Total		\$15,835 00

DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Detail No. 1—Salaries of Town Officers

K. C. Colburn	\$182 50
H. C. Spiller	258 50
L. H. Locke	126 25
W. P. Wood	149 00
J. W. Ellsworth	138 55
J. Y. Wilson, Collector	270 37
J. Y. Wilson, Poor	25 00
H. C. Spiller, Poor	25 00
H. G. Parker, Boston	8 00
Marjorie Holden	9 00
Bessie E. Dow	9 50
E. W. Colburn, Auditor	4 00
Beatrice M. Holden	31 50
C. P. McNally, Auditor	4 00
Geo. F. Ellsworth	28 00
\$1,269 17	

Detail No. 2—Town Officers' Expenses

K. C. Colburn	\$ 7 37
J. F. Kincaid	2 00

Edson C. Eastman, check list, vouchers, supplies	13 31
H. C. Spiller	34 45
G. F. Ellsworth	84
Star Stamp Co.	1 00
W. P. Wood	15 31
L. H. Locke	75
C. F. Butler, Books and Pencils	10 55
H. G. Parker, Trip to Weare	2 00
Automotive Service Bureau, Reference Manual	3 28
Hoffman Seal & Stamping Co., Town Seal	16 20
J. W. Ellsworth	5 25

\$112 31

Detail No. 3—Election and Registration

L. H. Locke, Supervisor	\$16 00
C. M. Durrell, Supervisor	32 00
J. F. Kincaid, Supervisor	24 00
A. H. Jacques, Moderator	3 00
A. A. Holden, Moderator	6 00
H. C. Taylor, Supervisor	16 00
W. P. Wood, Clerk	8 00

\$105 00

Detail No. 4—Town Hall Expense

F. E. Halladay, Glass and Putty	\$ 1 45
E. D. Brown, Wood	18 00
L. H. Locke	1 25
L. J. Fisher, Sawing Wood	2 00

\$22 70

Detail No. 5—Police Department

H. C. Taylor	\$8 00
L. H. Locke	2 00
Henry Adams	4 20

\$14 20

Detail No. 6—Fire Department

A. O. Ellsworth	\$ 2 50
A. O. Ellsworth	41 25

\$43 75

Detail No. 7—Bounties

H. C. Spiller	\$1 20	
	60	
	4 00	
	2 80	
	1 00	
	1 80	
	1 00	
	<hr/>	\$12 40
G. F. Ellsworth		40
L. H. Locke	\$2 00	
	1 00	
	60	
	40	
	<hr/>	4 00
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		\$16 80

Detail No. 8—Damage by Dogs

Dana E. Brown	\$21 00
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Detail No. 9—Vital Statistics

James W. Ellsworth	\$4 35
Warren P. Grimes	3 75
William P. Wood	4 80
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	\$12 90

Detail No. 10—State Aid Maintenance

H. D. Kiblin	14 00
	77 00
	86 33
	145 44
	178 89
	197 56
	250 22
	270 83
	369 12
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	\$1,589 39
	17 90
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	\$1,607 29

Abatements

James Y. Wilson, 1926 tax	\$12 00
James Y. Wilson, 1927 tax	7 62
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	\$19 62

Unclassified

Printing Town Reports, 1926	\$117 00
Edward Ward, Tax Refunded	2 00
James W. Ellsworth, Refund	1 50
James Y. Wilson, Taxes bought by Town	35 54
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	\$156 04

Interest on Long Term Notes

Lucetta A. Appleton	\$20 00
Lydia E. Wilson	10 00
Trustees Trust Funds	22 50
Flora B. Kimball	22 50
Kenneth C. Colburn	25 00
Edward W. Colburn	50 00
Jessie C. Colburn	12 50
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	\$162 50

Temporary Loans

First National Bank, Temporary Loans	\$3,000 00
	2,000 00
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	\$5,000 00

Libraries

James W. Ellsworth, Library Treas.	
1926 tax	\$15 60
1927 tax	18 90
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	\$34 50

Charities

James Y. Wilson, Overseer Poor	\$15 79
L. H. Locke, Feeding Tramp	50
K. C. Colburn, Feeding Tramp	50
H. C. Spiller, Overseer Poor	4 00
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	\$20 79

Public Service Enterprises—Cemeteries

Harry Worth, Labor	\$12 00
James W. Ellsworth, Labor	15 00
George Craine, Labor	13 50
William P. Wood, Care of	110 50
Arthur O. Ellsworth, Labor	28 00

\$179 00

Watering Trough

Peter Wood	\$2 00
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Insurance on Books

Ralph G. Smith	\$6 00
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State Aid Construction

Orvis Fisher	\$229 00
Louis Fisher	174 42
James C. Wilson	19 50
Harry G. Parker	122 50
John Wilson	54 06
Archie Dutton	47 44
Joseph Gingras	43 94
Joseph Demars	55 62
Geo. Craine	50 56
Medric Gingras	43 94
Jerry Gingras	48 22
Herbert Spiller	14 00
William Mills	47 06
Ira Kimball	108 50

\$1,058 76

E. D. Brown

22 50

\$1,081 26

Orvis Fisher, Blacksmithing

Sharpening Picks	\$2 00
Sharpening Drills	1 05
Sharpening Picks	1 25
W. E. Newman, Cement	7 20
E. C. Rumrill, Lumber	3 50

\$15 00

Grade

W. D. Stevens	10 00
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Gravel	
Carlton M. Sherwood	39 50
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	\$64 50
Tractor Building	
James L. Ellsworth, Stove and Pipe	\$41 65
Eugene C. Rumrill, Lumber Acct.	82 61
F. E. Halliday, Hardware	4 94
Orvis Fisher, Labor	15 00
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	\$144 20
Payment to School District	
Mary B. Holden, School Treas.,	\$ 435 82
	1,000 00
	1,000 00
	1,844 23
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	\$4,280 05
Interest	
Mary B. Holden, School Treas.	
Int. on Tubbs and Dicky Funds, 1926	\$121 67
First National Bank	
Int. on Short Term Notes	\$101 00
	50 56
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	\$151 56
Mary B. Holden, School Treas.	
Int. on Tubbs and Dicky Funds, 1927	\$121 67
State and County Tax	
James H. Shenton, County Treas.	
County Tax, 1927	\$801 92
Henry E. Chamberlain, State Treas.	
State Tax, 1927	998 52
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	\$1,800 44
Snow Roads 1927	
Arnold K. Ellsworth	\$272 08
Chester P. McNally	39 77
Robert Lawson	261 63
Hobart D. Kiblin	93 56
Fred M. Grinnell	105 65
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	\$772 69

Snow Roads 1928

Louis J. Fisher	\$23 50
A. K. Ellsworth	40 75
H. G. Parker	45 76
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	\$110 01

General Expense of Highway Dept.

E. C. Rumrill, Lumber	\$ 6 00
Chester P. McNally, Repairs	8 00
Leon Kemp, Labor on Truck	5 55
H. D. Kiblin	9 25
Robert Lawson, Road Drag	8 00
C. P. McNally	4 00
Standard Oil Co., Gas and Oil	37 80
Leon Kemp, Repairs on Truck	8 97
J. G. Veino, Tires and Tools	40 15
Hillsboro Battery & Storage Co.	3 50
H. D. Kiblin	11 10
Standard Oil Co., Gas and Oil	62 93
F. E. Halladay, Spark Plugs	2 00
C. P. McNally, Gravel	15 30
H. C. Spiller	4 15
H. D. Kiblin, Gravel	36 20
Upton & Whitcomb, Bridge Plank	79 89
H. D. Kiblin, Spikes	60
Fred M. Grinnell	10 80
J. G. Veino, Supplies on Truck	1 40
C. P. McNally	2 42
H. D. Kiblin	4 10
H. G. Parker, Supplies for Truck	8 16
H. G. Parker, Supplies and Labor	18 26
C. P. McNally, Gravel	14 05
Standard Oil Co., Gas and Oil	60 20
Robert Lawson, Gravel	54 00
Fred M. Grinnell	50
H. E. Spiller, Labor and Expense on Gravel Bank	165 00
H. G. Parker, Repairs on Truck	5 75
H. C. Spiller, Repairs on Truck	2 00
H. Garrain, Gravel	5 90
W. P. Wood, Gravel	9 50
J. G. Herrick	3 20
H. C. Spiller, Gravel Bank	49 50

Berger Mfg. Co., Culverts	46 20
North East Metal Co., Culverts	15 10
C. P. McNally	9 30
Robert Lawson, Gravel	10 00
A. H. Colby, Wood	14 00
Leon Kemp, Labor on Truck	1 75
Standard Oil Co., Gas	62 00
Louis Fisher, Sawing Wood	2 00
Ernest Goodale	1 25
Eastern Tractor Co., Grease and Oil	81 80
C. P. McNally, Gravel	1 00
H. G. Parker, Labor on Truck	16 83
A. K. Ellsworth, Labor on Tractor	7 50
H. C. Spiller, Labor on Tractor House	26 00
Robert Lawson, Gravel	6 00
J. G. Veino, Labor and Patches	4 60
B. H. Smith, Alcohol	5 00
C. P. McNally, Labor and Supplies	16 96
James C. Wilson, Tire Chains	6 00
Upton & Whitcomb, Bridge Plank	137 10
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	\$1,228 52

C. P. McNally, Road Agent Center District

Expenditures

1927	Labor
March	\$ 33 50
April	484 50
May	150 25
June	163 00
July	45 00
August	52 50
September	392 35
October	116 00
November	229 13
December	9 00
1928	
January	12 00
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Total	\$1,687 23

Labor Expense

Leroy Locke	\$ 3 75
Harold Taylor	2 50
Geo. F. Ellsworth	65 75
J. W. Ellsworth	39 50
H. C. Spiller	11 50
Orvis Fisher	109 25
L. J. Fisher	11 75
Jason Fisher	6 00
Geo. Putnam	118 00
Frank Foster	76 00
Bert Taylor	93 50
Albert Holden	33 25
Frank Gerrish	32 00
Arnold Ellsworth	16 00
E. D. Brown	144 00
Gingras Bros.	88 00
Jerry Gingras	32 00
Valley View Farm	29 00
Wm. Mills	87 50
Joe Demars	8 00
Fred McClintock	10 63
Mrs. Hart	4 00
H. G. Parker	92 00
A. O. Ellsworth	2 00
C. P. McNally	571 35

Total

\$1,687 23

General Expense

Repairs on Machine and Drag	\$12 00
Gas and Oil	13 46
Dynamite and Caps	5 92

Gravel

Evans Bank, 54 loads @ 10	5 40
C. McNally Bank, 286 loads @ 10c	28 60
A. O. Ellsworth Bank, 10 loads @ 10c	1 00
Taylor Bank, 153 loads @ 10c	15 30
Woods Bank, 28 loads @ 25c	7 00
Valley View Bank, 78 loads @ 10c	7 80
Putnam Bank, 70 loads @ 10c	7 00
Forsaith Bank, 10 loads @ 10c	1 00

Gove Bank, 4 loads @ 10c	40
Foster Bank, 25 loads @ 10c	2 50
Holmes Bank, 42 loads @ 10c	4 20
Lillian McNally Bank, 56 loads @ 10c	5 60

Total	\$117 18
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Snow

Robert Lawson, Road Agent

March 28, 1927

James C. Wilson	\$30 29
James Y. Wilson	5 07
Arthur Jacques	1 56
John F. Loveren	12 46
J. F. Loveren	6 08
L. D. Haines	21 45
Robert Lawson	49 05
Fred Brown	21 07
Ernest Johnson	28 06
Wallace Wood	6 84
Peter Wood	26 24
Fred Bigwood	3 50
Harold S. Titcomb	1 75
Wendal B. Rich	21 00
L. C. Putnam	7 39
E. D. Brown	19 82

Total	\$261 63
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Robert Lawson, Road Agent

April 30, 1927

Robert Lawson	\$85 00
Ernest Johnson	32 00
Ablin Patiquin	1 00
Harold Titcomb	16 00
Clyde Wilson	3 90
Wallace Wood	8 00
Peter Wood	39 00
Fred Brown	4 00
Ira Bartlett	16 71

Total	\$205 61
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May 28, 1927

Bert Taylor	\$ 8 00
Orvis Fisher	8 00
Fred Brown	38 00
John Davy	53 50
Clinton Cluff	26 00
Harold Titcomb	4 00
Robert Lawson	34 50
Peter Wood	24 00
Ernest Johnson	24 00
Total	<hr/> \$220 00

June 25, 1927

Bert Taylor	\$28 00
Orvis Fisher	28 00
R. Lawson	87 90
John Davy	24 00
Harold Titcomb	16 00
Fred Brown	45 00
Ernest Johnson	48 00
Ablin Patiquin	12 00
Fred Bigwood	24 00
Peter Wood	28 00
Wallace Wood	4 00
Total	<hr/> \$344 90

July 1927

Ira Bartlett	\$9 50
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August 1927

Wallace Wood	\$4 00
Robert Lawson	21 00
Total	<hr/> \$25 00

September 1927

R. Lawson	\$77 50
P. Wood	80 00
Wallace Wood	16 00
John Davy	42 00
Ernest Johnson	77 00
Fred Brown	13 00

Fred Bigwood	30 00
Harold Titcomb	54 00
Wendal Rich	52 00

Total	\$441 50
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October 1927

R. Lawson	\$78 00
Wendal Rich	28 00
Peter Wood	40 00
Ernest Johnson	40 00
Harold Titcomb	40 00
Fred Bigwood	40 00
John Davy	60 00
Arnold Ellsworth	22 00
Fred Brown	25 75

Total	\$373 75
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November 1927

Robert Lawson	\$45 00
Peter Wood	38 00
John Davy	27 00
Harold Titcomb	19 00
Ernest Johnson	41 50
James Y. Wilson	8 50
Fred Brown	28 00
Irving Christenson	24 00
Ira Bartlett	14 25

Total	\$245 25
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January 1928

Herbert Spiller	\$14 00
Orvis Fisher	8 00
Harry Parker	6 00
Robert Lawson	16 00
Wallace Wood	2 00

Total	\$46 00
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December 1927

Chester McNally, Team	\$8 00
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General Expenses

April

Orvis Fisher, Road Drag	\$8 00
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October 1927

Gravel

Mary E. Center, Gravel	\$ 4 30
Goldie Murry, Gravel	19 80
Ernest Bartlett, Gravel	6 50
Leon McAdams, Gravel	5 40
Ernest Johnson, Gravel	4 00
Fred Bigwood, Gravel	14 00
Total	<hr/> \$54 00

November

Ernest Johnson, Gravel	\$2 50
Orin Stone, Gravel	7 50
Total	<hr/> \$10 00

January

Leon McAdams, Gravel	\$1 00
Mary E. Center, Gravel	1 20
Ernest Bartlett, Gravel	1 80
Marian Ashby, Gravel	2 00
Total	<hr/> \$6 00

Use of town truck 14½ days

Report of Fred Grinnell, Road Agent

January 31, 1927 to January 31, 1928

Fred M. Grinnell, Labor	\$308 45
Ira J. Kimball, Labor	158 25
Sherod B. Ashby, Labor	62 30
John Raines, Labor	3 20
Harry G. Adams, Labor	4 00
Will Roach, Gravel	1 10
P. E. Belisle, Spikes and Powder	2 10
Lester Adams, Labor	16 25

Arcade Duval, Labor	24 40
Henry Gerinia, Labor and Gravel	38 20
Walter Keryzton, Labor	1 60
Albert H. Brown, Labor	99 15
Edward Dutton, Gravel	60
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	\$719 60

H. D. Kiblin, Agent

Breaking Snow Roads, 1927

Jerry Gingras	\$14 00
K. C. Colburn	35 78
H. D. Kiblin	43 78
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	\$93 56

Town Maintenance

William B. Wood, Labor	\$ 4 00
William B. Wood, Gravel	36 20
Walter Allen, Labor	12 00
Charles Bailey, Labor	12 00
E. H. Abbott, Labor	12 00
Grover Clark, Labor	24 00
Archie McAlister, Labor	56 00
Lorenzo Smith, Labor	42 00
Orvis Fisher, Labor	42 00
Bert M. Taylor	12 00
E. W. Colburn, Labor and Gas	75 08
Charles A. Fisher, Labor	24 00
Hobart D. Kiblin, Labor	87 50
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	\$438 78

Money Laid Out on West Deering Road After Aug. 1, 1927

Charles A. Fisher	\$22 50
Archie E. McAlester	48 00
Charles A. Fisher	8 00
Abbott & Clark	30 88
E. H. Abbott	58 50

G. C. Clark	26 00
A. E. McAlester	16 00
E. W. Colburn	35 50
K. C. Colburn	32 00
A. E. McAlester	1 50
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	\$278 88

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Trustees of Trust Funds, Library Treasurer, and find them correct.

HAROLD S. TITCOMB
EDWARD W. COLBURN
EDWIN F. DUTTON
Auditors of Deering

DEERING SCHOOL REPORT

The School Board of Deering make the following report for the school year ending June 30, 1927, and make recommendations concerning the amounts needed for the coming year.

In the three following parallel columns are given first the school district receipts for the year ending June 30, 1927, second the receipts for the present year ending next June 30th, and in the third column our estimates for next year's needs.

Balance on hand	\$ 213 55	\$ 268 30	\$ 23 22*
State Aid	2433 80	1843 85	1871 42
Dog tax	186 04	161 00	150 00*
Trust Funds	1121 67	206 67	121 67*
Tuitions	36 00		
Taxation	2249 78	3683 23	4618 69
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Total	\$6240 84	\$6163 05	\$6785 00

The amounts in the last column marked * are estimates, with amounts which seem to be what will be correct at the close of the present year. If there should be more trust fund money available than is stated the amount to be raised by taxation may be reduced by that amount, providing that, at least \$2348.55, which is the amount required for state aid, is raised.

Our receipts were given above, next we will give in the same manner our expenses for the year closing June 30, 1927, and an estimate of what we will spend by the close of the present year.

Administration	\$ 458 70	\$ 472 70
Teachers' salaries	3180 00	3162 00
Books, supplies, etc.	218 52	228 00
Janitors, fuel, etc.	370 85	352 50
Repairs, alterations	408 53	160 00
Medical inspection	45 00	50 00
Transportation	219 00	550 00

H. S. tuition	875 94	990 63
Grade tuition	48 00	36 00
Per Capita Tax	148 00	138 00
Balance, close of year	268 30	23 22
Total	<u>\$6240 84</u>	<u>\$6163 05</u>

In the third column of the first table of figures, is given our estimate of the amount of money needed for the coming year, namely \$6785.00. Of this amount a portion comes from other sources than taxation, namely the first three amounts mentioned, leaving \$4000 which should be raised by taxation, divided as follows:

\$5.00 tax	\$2348 55
Administration	500 00
H. S. Tuitions	1000 00
Other expenses	151 45
Total	<u>\$4000 00</u>

We therefore recommend that the above amounts be appropriated.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD C. TAYLOR
LOAMMI P. McALISTER
MILDRED I. JOHNSON

School Board of the
Town of Deering, N. H.

ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1927

Summary

Cash on hand June 30, 1926		
(Treasurer's bank balance)		\$213 55
Received from selectmen, appropriations for current year	\$2,000 00	
Balance of previous appro.	249 78	
Dog tax	186 04	
Income from trust funds	1,121 67	
Received from State Treasurer (State or Federal Aid)	2,433 80	
Received from all other sources	38 50	
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Total amount available for Fiscal Year (Balance and Receipts)		\$6,243 34
Less School Board orders paid		5,975 04
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Balance on hand as of June 30, 1927 (Treasurer's bank balance)		\$ 268 30

MARY B. HOLDEN
District Treasurer

July 11, 1927

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Deering, N. H., of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1927, and find them correct in all respects.

E. W. COLBURN
E. F. DUTTON

Auditors.

July 14, 1927

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board of the Town of Deering, N. H.:

The report of the Superintendent of Schools for the year 1926-1927 is hereby respectfully submitted.

For a time previous to this year we have had five schools in session. This seemed an expensive procedure for so few children, and a representative from the State Board of Education was invited to meet with the Board and interested parents to discuss the situation. As a result of this conference, the school board understood that it was agreeable as well as desirable to close the East Deering School for a time, but when the schools opened in the Fall a strong opposition to this developed and the Board decided to open the school, at least for the winter term. When that time arrived they decided to continue it for the remainder of the year. This represents a condition existing not alone in Deering, but in all rural communities. If all rural schools are kept open, the small enrollment deadens enthusiasm and competition, and the quality of work suffers. On the other hand there is a strong feeling that closing rural schools causes a depreciation in the value of the nearby farms, and works a hardship on children who are required to go a long distance over what were bad roads, to another school. We hope this question may be thoughtfully considered and a community sentiment arrived at which may have a degree of stability. It is easily seen that there is no really settled opinion in the community, because the Board was urgently requested to open one rural school, and within a short time, as urgently requested to close it again, under the same conditions. The Board approaches this question with an open mind, and we hope that soon we may arrive at a satisfactory settled policy.

Mrs. Ida Hart returned to the Pond School, and Miss Ruth Brown returned to the Manselville School. Miss Gladys Gould, a Keene Normal graduate, went to the West Deering School and we had cadet teachers in the North and East Deering Schools.

The three regular teachers received \$720 per year each, and the cadets were recompensed by district sending to the Normal School the sum of \$612 per year. The average salary paid was \$676.80, compared with \$1006.65, which was the average salary paid the elementary women teachers throughout the State, indicates that we are paying a low salary. Would it not pay to increase salaries and cut down to a certain extent the number of schools?

Not one of our teachers, this year, had the highest form of State Certificate. Teachers are expected to prepare themselves for this certificate, and the best way to do this is by attendance at summer school. Such attendance is somewhat expensive and I recommend that a small salary bonus be paid each teacher who attends summer school, such bonus to be paid only for the year following such attendance. This would encourage the teachers, and help toward repaying them for the expense incurred.

Our total enrollment was:—

School	Boys	Girls	Total
Pond	5	3	8
East	5	2	7
North	4	6	10
West	4	6	10
Manselville	7	12	19
Totals	25	29	54

Grades	Pupils	Grades	Pupls
1	8	5	14
2	5	6	4
3	5	7	7
4	7	8	4

The percent of attendance was:—Manselville 97 percent, North 94.8 percent, West 93.1 per cent, East 93 percent, and Pond 90.4 percent.

The Roll of Honor for perfect attendance is much smaller than it should be, and all were from the Manselville School. The pupils on the Roll of Honor were, Bibian Cote, Alfred Trottier, and Raymond Mann.

The records show 35 visits by the members of the School Board, 258 by parents and others, and 90 visits by the Supt.

The Community Club gave a beautiful picture of Sir Galahad, which was presented as a prize to the school standing highest in work, deportment and attendance. It was won by the Manselville School and presented to them during the graduation exercises which were held in the Town Hall at the close of the year. There were so many at these exercises that many were obliged to stand, and some could not get inside the Hall. This must not discourage attendance, as we hope they may be held in the Church this year. The graduates were Hazel Wood and Frederick Greene. They both continued their education, by entering High School in the Fall; Hazel went to North Weare, and Frederick to Hillsboro. Albert Evans, who had been in the eighth grade for a part of the year, went abroad with his family during the school year, and so attended school only 45 days and was not graduated, but he studied during the summer and passed the examination for entrance to the Hillsboro High School and entered that school in the Fall. Although we had but two eighth grade graduates, we had six enter high school in the Fall. Marie Wells and John Holden were graduates of the Hillsboro Grammar School. Leah Bassett was an eighth grade graduate when the family moved here, but they thought best for her to attend our eighth grade as they came here some time after the opening of school, and she also entered Hillsboro High in the Fall. The other three have been accounted for.

We thank the teachers for their faithful work, and the parents for their interest as shown by visits to the schools, attendance at special exercises and graduation, the prize given by the Community Club, and in many other ways.

Respectfully submitted,

A. A. HOLDEN

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Deering, N. H., on February 1, 1928

Date of Creation	Name of Fund and Donor	Purpose of Creation	How Funds are Invested as Required by Chapter 42 Public Laws	Amount of Principal	Rate of Int.	Bal. Income on hand Feb. 1927	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Bal. Income On hand
§\$500	Loaned to Town of Deering			\$9961 15	4 1/2		22 50		
§Sept. 18, 1918.	H. J. W. and Elizabeth Gove Fund			2000 00	4 1/4		468 93		
*Apr. 1, 1913.	James F. Grimes, care 4 cemetery lots			100 00	4 1/4				
*Jan. 9, 1911.	Betsey Blakeslee, care Blakeslee lot			1000 00	4 1/4				
*Dec. 1, 1914.	Franklin P. Goodall, Schools			100 00	4 1/4				
*Sept. 21, 1914.	Eveline M. Foster, Foster lot			100 00	4 1/4				
*Sept. 23, 1915.	East Deering Cemetery Fund			195 00	4 1/4				
*Sept. 23, 1913.	Calista J. Wilkins, Wilkins lot & Goodhue			200 00	4 1/4				
*Apr. 9, 1913.	Vienna D. Clement, J. D. Clement lot			100 00	4 1/4				
*May 9, 1910.	L. J. Atwood, Robert and Augustus Wilson lots			100 00	4 1/4				
‡Feb. 21, 1912.	C. R. Austen, Two Austen lots			200 00	4 1/4		170 00		
‡Nov. 1, 1920.	Fostina Kenney, Kenney-Otis lot			100 00	4		4 00		
‡Nov. 1, 1920.	George Appleton, Chas. Appleton lot			100 00	4		4 00		
‡Nov. 1, 1921.	Mrs. J. H. Wallace, Wallace and Downing lots			200 00	4		8 00		
‡Nov. 1, 1921.	Josephine Smith, Isaac Smith lot			100 00	4		4 00		
‡Apr. 17, 1922.	Mary A. Chase, J. F. Chase lot			100 00	4		4 00		
‡Apr. 14, 1925.	Eliza D. Wilson, D. Wilson and Smart lots			200 00	4		8 00		
‡Feb. 1, 1926.	Bailey, Griffin and Straw lots			150 00	4		6 00		
‡ 1927.	Richard Clement, Clement lot			100 00	4				
‡ 1927.	Lizzie Center, Center lot			100 00	4				
			‡Hillsboro Liberty Bonds			\$179.00			
			‡Paid for care of cemetery lots			\$85.00			
			‡Paid Int. on Goodall Fund to schools			\$1,319.42			
			‡Total amt. unexpended interest on all funds						

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Date February 11, 1928

EDWARD W. COLBURN, PAUL WILLGEROTH Trustees

REPORT OF TREASURER OF DEERING PUBLIC LIBRARY

Balance Feb. 1, 1927	\$17 19
Received Feb. 1, 1928	
Tax for year 1927	18 90
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Balance Feb. 1, 1928	\$36 09

This certifies that we have examined this account and find it correct.

EDWARD W. COLBURN
EDWIN F. DUTTON

Auditors of Deering

Respectfully submitted

JAMES W. ELLSWORTH

Treasurer.

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

During the past year the usefulness of our library has been greatly increased by the addition of a card catalogue, the filing cabinet and cards for which were generously donated by the Community Club. The work has been done by the librarian, and the catalogue has been in use for some time. Since the last report the library has received several gifts of books. They are as follows:

From the Alzira F. Gove Estate

The Head of Medusa	George Fleming
Where the Heart Is	Will Irwin
Success	Samuel H. Adams
The Widow Bedott Papers	Frances M. Whitcher
The Americanization of Edward Bok	Edward Bok
The Desert of Wheat	Zane Grey
Miss Dulcie from Dixie	Sulah Ragsdale
Poetical Works	John G. Whittier
Mr. Fortescue	William Westall
Paul and Virginia	B. de Saint Pierre
Life of James A. Garfield	R. H. Conwell
The Three of Hearts	Berta Ruck
The Fifth Wheel	Olive H. Prouty
Washington and Sunny Lands	Willis G. Buxton
	Gift of Mr. Buxton

From Mrs. George Cote

Frederick the Great and His Court	L. Mulbach
Queen Hortense	“

Frederick the Great and His Family	"
Prince Eugene and His Times	"
The Merchant of Berlin	"
Marie Antoinette and Her Son	"
Napoleon and the Queen of Prussia	"
Old Fritz and the New Era	"
Goethe and Schiller	"
Andreas Hofer	"
Napoleon and Blucher	"
The Daughter of an Empress	"
From Mrs. W. D. Stevens	
A Psalm of David	
Vashti	A.E.Wilson
From Miss Louise Webb	
At the Villa Rose	A. E. M. Mason
Tono Bungay	H. G. Wells
Wife of Sir Isaac Harman	H. G. Wells
The Old Card	Roland Pertwee
Story of the Iliad	Edward Brooks
The Wrong Letter	Walter Masterman
Jan	Morton Gibbons
Hound of the Baskervilles	A. Conan Doyle
From William Roach	
Great Britain and Ireland Part 1	Francis Halsey
Great Britain and Ireland Part 2	"
France and the Netherlands Part 1	"
France and the Netherlands Part 2	"
Germany, Austria and Switzerland Part 1	"
Germany, Austria and Switzerland Part 2	"
Italy and Greece Part 1	"
Italy and Greece Part 2	"
Spain and Portugal	"
Russia, Scandanavia and the Southeast	"
Political Economy	A. B. Meservey
The Anatomy of Negation	Edgar Saltus
Ragged Dick	Horatio Alger, Jr.
Thru by Wireless	Ralph Marlow
Second Book of Verse	Eugene Field
Veterinary Handbook	Oliver Gleason
The Little Lane Prince	Miss Muloch
Seeing France with Uncle John	Anne Warner
What Katy Did Next	Susan Coolidge
Christian Osborne's Friends	Mrs. Davidson
French	E. Gastineou

St. Luke

Dr. Miller's Year Book

Parliamentary Procedure

Idle Thoughts of an Idle Fellow

The Farmer's Veterinarian

The Honorable Peter Stirling

The Five Little Peppers and How They Grew

J. R. Miller, D.D.

George G. Crooker

Jerome K. Jerome

Chas. W. Burkett

Paul Leicester Ford

Margaret Sidney

Mary Jane's Book of Household Hints

The Program of Christianity

Dr. Chase's Recipes

Child's Garden of Verse

Mr. Dooley in the Hearts of His Countrymen

Songs from the Granite Hills

The Hills of New Hampshire

Butler's Book

Songs of the Field

Wide Awake

History of the United States

Boy Scouts at the Panama Pacific Exposition

Boy Scouts on Belgian Battle Fields

Boy Scouts for Uncle Sam

Julius, the Street Boy

Dave Porter and the Runaways

By Five Motorcycle Boys. The Big Chase

Grammar School Boys Snowbound

Grammar School Boys in the Woods

Canoe Mates in Canada

Motorcycle Chums South of the Equator

Motor Chums in the Goldfields

The Bird Boys

Bungalow Boys in the Great Northwest

Dreadnaught Boys' World Cruise

Motor Boat Boys' Mississippi Cruise

Boy Inventors and the Radio Telephone

Boy Inventors and the Vanishing Gun

Boy Allies in the Trenches

In the Clouds for Uncle Sam

Go Ahead Boys and the Treasure Cave

Tom Swift and His Motorcycle

Boy Scouts' Patrol

Motorcycle Chums in the Yellowstone

Henry Drummond

Dr. Chase

Robert Louis Stevenson

C. B. Cochrane

Cressey and Harvey

Benjamin F. Butler

Florence K. Favor

Chas C. Morris

Lt. Howard Payson

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Horatio Alger

Edw. Stratemeyer

Ralph Marlow

H. I. Hancock

H. I. Hancock

George Rathbourne

Lt. Howard Payson

Lt. Howard Payson

J. L. Langworthy

D. J. Forrester

Capt. Wilbur Lawson

Louis Arundel

Richard Bonner

Richard Bonner

Clair W. Hayes

Ashton Lamar

Ross Kay

Victor Appleton

Ralph Victor

A. C. Lincoln

Boy Scouts in the Rockies	Herbert Carter
Brave Billy	Edward S. Ellis
From Throttle to President's Chair	Edward S. Ellis
The Jungle Fugitive	Edward S. Ellis
The Young Treasure Hunter	Frank V. Webster
Brave and Bold	Horatio Alger, Jr.
The Cash Boy	Horatio Alger, Jr.
Strong and Steady	Horatio Alger, Jr.
Ben, the Luggage Boy	Horatio Alger, Jr.
Four Little Indians	Ella Mary Coates
The Green Diamond	Arthur Morrison
Poetry for Home and School	
Poems	W. R. Cochrane
Billy Barter's Letters	Wm. Kountz, Jr.
Life and Writings of Chas. Dickens	Phebe A. Hanaford
All About It	
Game Birds	Chas. K. Reed
Essays of Lord Francis Bacon	
Morning Thoughts	F. R. Havergal
Autobiography of Benjamin Franklin	
Our Country's Future	John Habberton
Home Gardening	F. F. Rockwell
Macready's Reminiscences	Sir Fred Pollock
Tales from Shakespeare	Chas. and Mary Lamb
My Four Years in Germany	J. W. Girard
The Yellow Fairy Book	Andrew Lang
Nature's Garden	Neltje Blanchan
Book of Modern Marvels	Waldemar Kaempffert
World's Columbian Exposition	
Great Cities of the World	Elbridge S. Brooks
Easy Lessons in German	
Our Early Wild Flowers	Harriett Keeler
Poems	Robert Burns
Beulah	Augusta J. Evans
Pharos	Ellery Clark
The Silly Syclopedia	Noah Lott
Richard Carvel	Winston Churchill
International Cyclopedia, 14 volumes	
Book of Wonders	R. J. Rodmer
Standard Dictionary of Facts	R. W. Ruoff
The World's Workshops	
Light on Life's Highway	Wayland Hoyt, D.D.
American Encyclopedia and Dictionary, 4 volumes	
House of Seven Gables	Nathaniel Hawthorne
Micky	Olin Lyman

Bachelors and Bathrobes	Arthur Gray
How to Become a Trained Nurse	Jane Hodson
The Peerless Reciter	H. D. Northrop
More Fables	George Ade
In Tune with the Infinite	R. W. Trine
Little Men	Louisa M. Alcott
A Minstrel in France	Harry Lauder
History of the Nineteenth Century, 3 volumes	Edwin Emerson, Jr.
Tennyson's Poems	Alfred Tennyson
Hans Brinker	Mary Mapes Dodge
How to Write Letters That Win	
William Shakespeare's Works, 7 volumes	
Five Little Peppers Midway	Margaret Sidney
In the High Valley	Susan Coolidge
The Young Miner	Horatio Alger
Stover at Yale	Owen Johnson
Five Little Peppers—Phronsie	Margaret Sidney
Five Little Peppers Grown Up	Margaret Sidney
Last of the Mohicans	J. Fenimore Cooper
Rejuvenation of Aunt Mary	Anne Warner
Truth Dexter	Sidney McCall
Works of Charles Dickens, 6 volumes	
Works of George Elliot, 3 volumes	
Cyclopedia of Commercial and Useful Information	
Social and Business Forms	Thos. E. Hill
Considerations for Young Men	Rev. J. B. Waterbury
Old Friends and New	Sarah Orne Jewett
Conquest of Peru	W. H. Prescott
Paradise Lost	John Milton
Russo-Turkish War	R. Grant Bornwell
One Thousand Legal Questions Answered	Percy A. Brigham
Clover	Susan Coolidge
Jack and Jill	Louisa M. Alcott
Sherlock Holmes	A. Conan Doyle
Organic and Inorganic Chemistry	C. L. Blondin
Life of William McKinley	
History of the United States	C. A. Goodrich
Diseases of the Horse	
Little Lord Fauntleroy	Frances H. Burnett
Things Everyone Should Know	
Official History of the United States	
Jack and the Beanstalk	
Appleton Temporary Home	

Standard Home and School Dictionary	
Phil, the Fiddler	Horatio Alger
Jim Marshall's New Pianner	William Devere
The Star Speaker	F. N. Kightlinger
Roach and Co.—Pirates	Hector Ruller
Beginning Electricity	D. C. Shafer
Don Quixote	Cervantes
Three Little Maids	M. B. Deane
History of the United States	John L. Anderson
History of England	Edith Thompson
Boys' Own Book	
Natural Law in the Spiritual World	Henry Drummond
The Suburban Garden Guide	P. T. Barnes
Tom Brown's Schooldays	Thomas Hughes
Soil and Their Properties	Dr. W. Fream
Nations at War	Willis J. Abbott
Business Law and Legal Forms	C. A. Hawkins
Dollikins and the Miser	Frances Eaton
Wonder Book	Nathaniel Hawthorne
Red Feather	Edward S. Ellis
Business Philosophy	Benj. F. Cobb
Charlie Codman's Cruise	Horatio Alger, Jr.
Toasts	William Pittenger
Dame Prism	M. H. Matthews
Speeches and Speechmaking	J. W. Donovan
War with Spain	J. Hampton Moore
The Millionaire Baby	Anna Katherine Green
From Fred Ellsworth	
Lady Fingers	Jackson Gregory
Wildfire	Zane Grey
Mavericks	William McLeod Raine
The Vengeance of Jefferson Gawne	C. A. Seltzer
The League of the Leopard	Harold Bindloss
The Return of Sherlock Holmes	A. Conan Doyle
A Prodigal in Love	Emma Wolf
Oscar in Africa	Harry Castleman
The Fighting Edge	William McLeod Rainie
Wyoming	William McLeod Rainie
Last of the Great Scouts	Zane Grey
Hidden Gold	Wilder Anthony
Bar 20 Days	Aarence Mulford
The Range Land Avenger	George Bootes
The Sheriff's Son	William McLeod Rainie
BEATRICE M. HOLDEN,	
Librarian.	

**Budget of the Town of
DEERING, N. H.**

**Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures
for the Ensuing Year
Jan. 31, 1928, to Jan. 31, 1929**

**Compared with Actual Revenue
and Expenditures of the
Previous Year
Jan. 31, 1927, to Jan. 31, 1928**

Sources of Revenue	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1927	Estimated Rev. Ensuing Year 1928	Increase	Decrease
FROM STATE:				
Railroad Tax	17 25	17 25		
Savings Bank Tax	244 00	244 00		
Bounties	12 00	16 80	4 80	
For Fighting Forest Fires	18 48	18 48		
For Highways:				
Class 5 roads	2229 72	2229 72		
(a) For St. Aid Maint.	685 02	800 00	114 98	
Int. and Dividend Tax	18 60	18 60		
State to Town	223 56	223 56		
FROM LOCAL SOURCES EXCEPT TAXES:				
All Licenses and Permits				
except Dog Licenses	556 85	556 85		
Refund	1 37			1 37
Interest Recd. on Taxes				
and Deposits	11 73	11 73		
Income of Departments:				
Cash on hand Feb. 1 '27	83 65	4310 24	4226 59	
Gift from Community Club				
for Tractor	300 00			300 00
Gift from Valley View				
Farm, Gravel Bill	12 80			12 80
Highways, Sewers, etc.				
FROM POLL TAXES	348 00	348 00		
From other taxes except				
property taxes				
1925 and 1926 Taxes	11 00			11 00
Unlisted Taxes 1927	24 10			24 10

Sources of Revenue	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1927	Estimated Rev. Ensuing Year 1928	Increase	Decrease
Tax Sales Redeemed	22 35			22 35
Abatements 1926 Tax	12 00			12 00
Taxes Bought by Town 1927 Tax	35 54			35 54
Abatements on 1927 Tax	7 62			7 62
James W. Ellsworth 1925 Treas.	21 17			21 17
Revenue Applicable only to New Construction and Improvements:				
From State:				
(a) For State Aid				
Highway Const.	622 08	622 08		
Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes:				
Temporary Loans	5000 00	6000 00	1000 00	
Revenue Which Must be Pd. to Other Govt. Div.:				
Dog Licenses	161 00	161 00		
TOTAL REVENUE FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES	10679 89	15578 31	5346 37	447 95
Amount Raised by Property Taxes:	17263 64	17000 00		263 64
TOTAL REVENUES	\$27943 53	32578 31	5346 37	711 59

Purposes of Expenditures	Actual Expt. previous Year 1927	Estimated Expt. Ensuing Year 1928	Increase	Decrease
Current Maint. Expenses:				
General Government:				
Town Officers' Salaries	1269 17	1269 17		
Town Officers' Expense	112 31	112 31		
Election. and Regis. Exp.	105 00	100 00		5 00
Care and Supplies for				
Town Hall	22 70	20 00		2 70
Protection of Persons and Property:				
Damage by Dogs	21 00			21 00
Police Department	14 20	14 20		
Fire Department	43 75	30 00		13 75
Bounties	16 80	16 80		
Health:				
Vital Statistics	12 90	12 90		
Highways and Bridges:				
State Aid Maintenance				
State's Contribution	685 02	800 00	114 98	
Town's Contribution	922 27	800 00		122 27
Trunk Line Maintenance				
Town Maintenance	5833 85	5833 85		
General Expense of				
Highway Department	1230 52	1000 00		230 52
Education:				
Libraries	34 50	18 90		15 60
Charities:				
Town Poor	20 79	20 79		

Purposes of Expenditures	Actual Expt. Previous Year 1927	Estimated Expt. Ensuing Year 1928	Increase	Decrease
Public Service Enterprises:				
Cemeteries	179 00	179 00		
INTEREST:				
On Temporary Loans	151 56	151 56		
On Long Term Notes	162 50	200 00	37 50	
On Principal of Trust Funds				
Used by Town	243 34	121 67		121 67
Highways and Bridges				
State Aid Construction				
State's Contribution	622 08	622 08		
Town's Contribution	523 68	523 68		
Printing Town Reports	117 00	125 00	8 00	
New Buildings	144 20	3000 00	2855 80	
Indebtedness:				
Payment on Principal of Debt				
(a) Temporary Loans	5000 00	2000 00		3000 00
(b) Long Term Notes		2000 00	2000 00	
Payments to Other Govt. Div.:				
State Taxes	998 52	998 52		
County Taxes	801 92	801 92		
Taxes Bought by Town	35 54			35 54
Paym'ts to School Dist.	4280 05	4280 05		
Abatements	19 62			19 62
Insurance	6 00	25 00	19 00	
Refund	3 50			3 50
TOTAL EXPEND.	\$23633 29	25077 40	5035 28	3591 17

VITAL STATISTICS

1927

Births Registered in town of Deering, N. H., for Year ending Dec. 31st, 1927

Date of Birth 1927	Name of Child	No. of Child			Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Occup'n of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
		Liv or Sb	Sex	No.					
Feb 12	Edith May	L	F	2	Jas. H Perham	Agnes M Goulette	Farmer	Greenfield NH	Weybridge Vt
Aug 7	Chester Everett	L	M	1	Archie E McAlister	Nellie Cahoon	Farmer	W Deering NH	Nova Scotia
Sept 2	Ray'd Goodwin	L	M	1	Eno Goodwin	Elvina Olson	Laborer	Hillsboro N H	Middleton Conn
Dec 9	Donald Lacey	L	M	3	Carl E Olson	Aurilla Hooper	Farmer	Middleton Conn	Henniker NH

Marriages Registered in the Town of Deering, N. H., for Year Ending Dec. 31st, 1927

Date of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of marriage	Age Y. M.	Occupation	Place of Birth	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name, res. and Office of Person by whom married
July 17	Wendall D Putnam	Antrim	N H	24 Garage	Antrim	Edwin D Putnam Alice L Hill	Lyndboro	L E Alexander
	Myrtie Bassler	Deering	N H	42 Ho'keeper	Claremont	Charles Davis Clara Wiggins	Hancock	Meth. Minister Hillsboro N H
July 24	Fred'k L Bartlett	Brooklyn	N Y	59 C. Eng'r	Brooklyn	Louis L Bartlett Anna E Ruggles	Lempster Sunapee	
	Mary H Holmes	Brooklyn	N Y	55 Teacher	Manomet	Fred'k L Holmes Margaret Robbins	Manomet	F A M Coad Pas. Con.Ch. Hillsboro N H
Oct 8	Earl H Griffen	Deering	N H	22 Weaver	Holyoke	Jesse Griffen Alice Hunter	Plym'th Ms West'd NY	
	Dorothy C Pelham	Somerville	Ms	19 Home	Nova Scotia	John Pelham M'gu'e M'Naugh'n	Holyoke	L E Alexander Meth. Clergyman Hillsboro
Nov 7	Leon M Dutton	Deering	N H	25 Plumber	Deering	Edwin F Dutton Alice F Ruffe	Nova Scotia Stoddard	
	Lena A Provost	Manch'r	N H	21 Stenog.	Manchester	Joseph Provost Rosanna Parent	Antrim Ware Ms	Thos W Cushin Catholic Priest Manchester
Nov 26	Lee Moulton	Deering	N H	21 Laborer	TelurideCol	Walter Moulton Helen Luther	Canada Boston Ms	
	Florence Spauling	Antrim	N H	20 Stenog.	Freemont	Josiah Spauling Laura J Ruee	Dorch. Ms Raymond	W H McBride Cong. Cler. Hopkinton NH
Dec 22	Lucius B Snelling	Pittsfield	N H	53 Showman	Pittsfield	George Snelling Hannah Smith	Newcastle Haver'l Ms	
	Ethel M Berry	Deering	N H	52 Ho'keeper	Pittsfield	John Brock Rose Leighton	Pittsfield Barnstead Pittsfd NH	P R Bachelor Advent Cler. Pittsfd NH

No. of marriage: Putnam, Holmes, Griffen, Pelham, Dutton, Provost, Moulton, Spauling, Snelling, first;
Bartlett, Berry, second; Bassler, fourth.

Deaths in the Town of Deering, N. H., for Year Ending Dec. 31, 1927

Date of Death 1927	Name and Surname of the Deceased	AGE		Place of Birth	Sex	Place of Birth		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
		Yrs.	Days			Father	Mother		
*Feb 2	Elizabeth Nye	76	4	Pocasset, Ms	F	Falm'th	Mid'boro	Benj. Nye	Maria Keith
*Feb 24	Mary F French	48	5	Wilton, N H	F	Lowell	Holy'ke	Chas. S. Carter	Jane Landers
*Mar 17	Corra Dow	45	6	Redange, GD.	F	Deering	Danvers	Edw. C Dow	Emily Webber
*May 15	Emile Krombach	53	1	Hillsboro	M	Deering	Aslone, Bel	Nich. Krombach	Tidor'e Roth'ell
*May 30	Lloyd R Locke	3	4	Pittsfield	M	Deering	Hillsboro	Leroy H Locke	Louise L Roberts
*Sept 30	Esther P Crosby	97	10	Pittsfield	F	Deering	Henniker	William Jones	Susan Jones
*Dec 22	Ann M Hill	76	7	Deering	F	Deering	Penn.	Rodney Gove	Nancy Smith
Jan 16	Arthur W Skinner	44	1	Canada	M	Deering	Wear	Thomas Skinner	Rebecca Ring
Jan 17	Chas A Willard	52	3	Wear, N H	M	Deering	Wear	Cyrus Willard	Mary Call
Jan 29	Eliza Carr	80	7	Grafton, Ms	F	Deering	Wear	Louis E Rodall	Letitia Manning
Feb 17	Geo W Grinnell	63	27	Bradford, NH	M	Deering	Wear	Chas H Grinnell	Sarah E Smith
Mar 6	Ella F Huntoon	72	5	New Port.	F	Deering	Wear	Nathan Groaton	Sybil L Maxim
Mar 14	Edith M Perham	72	1	Deering, N H	F	Deering	Wear	Jas H Perham	Agnes McGoulette
Mar 28	Rosmon Smith	84	3	Wills'ns'nt	F	Deering	Wear	Ho'gh'nDilling'i	Rosana Bailey
Apr 8	Nellie Elngraham	48	3	Penacook, NH	F	Deering	Wear	Chas Roberts	Elizabeth Supry
Apr 16	Alfred B Goodwin	77	5	Henniker, NH	M	Deering	Wear	Horace J Ward	Almira Bowman
Apr 20	Ida E Jackson	73	7	Bradford, NH	F	Deering	Wear	Manuel Goumes	A Andrade
May 16	Mary G Alves	26	7	Italy	F	Deering	Wear	John Blanchard	Pauline Martin
July 12	Fran'z Blanch'd	2	10	Hillsboro, NH	F	Deering	Wear	Henry G Gould	Elvira Way
Aug 4	Ella G Kenney	71	12	Bradford, NH	F	Deering	Wear	Henry M Gross	Lydia Monk
Aug 11	Irving Gross	53	11	Warren, Me	M	Deering	Wear		
Aug 25	Mary E Ashford	65	8	N. H.	F	Deering	Wear	Eli Sargent	Frances Blake
Nov 29	Willis Sargent	59	5	Manchester	M	Deering	Wear	Milo Harvey	
Dec 2	Harriet L Kimball	58	7	Cornish, N H	F	Deering	Wear	Jonathan Tasker	Lydia A Baker
Dec 14	John B Tasker	73	2	Cornish, N H	M	Deering	Wear		

*Deaths Registered in the Town of Deering, N. H., for the year ending Dec. 31, 1927. All others brought to Deering for Burial.

I hereby certify that the foregoing returns of Births, Deaths, and Marriages are correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief. WILLIAM P. WOOD, Town Clerk, Deering, N. H.

